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1. SOCIALIST INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT WILLY BRANDT,  
IN DENMARK TO DISCUSS NORTH-SOUTH ISSUES IN HIS ROLE  
AS HEAD OF THE BRANDT COMMISSION AND TO MEET SOCIAL  
DEMOCRATIC LEADERS, COMMENTED JULY 19 TO AKTUEL  
(SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC DAILY) ON THE CURRENT ISRAELI-  
EGYPTIAN NEGOTIATIONS.

2. ACCORDING TO AKTUEL REPORTER PER NYHOLM, BRANDT  
SAID HE DID NOT LOOK FOR PROGRESS IN THE LEEDS TALKS.  
BUT IF WE DON'T HAVE PROGRESS SOON IN THE DIRECTION  
OF SERIOUS PEACE TALKS, SADAT'S PEACE INITIATIVE  
WILL NO LONGER BE VALID, BRANDT REPORTEDLY SAID.  
BRANDT EXPRESSED HIS REGRET THAT BEGIN WAS NOT MORE  
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FORTHCOMING TOWARD SADAT, ESPECIALLY, BRANDT ASSERTED,  
SINCE THE GREATEST NUMBER OF ARAB GOVERNMENTS SUPPORT  
SADAT'S PEACE INITIATIVE EVEN IF THEY CAN'T SAY SO  
OPENLY. BRANDT DESCRIBED A PEACE INITIATIVE DEVELOPED  
WITH KREISKY LAST WEEK WHICH WILL BE PRESENTED AT A  
MEETING OF THE SOCIALIST INTERNATIONAL BUREAU IN  
PARIS IN SEPTEMBER, WHERE THE SOVIET TRIALS OF DISSI-

DENTS WILL ALSO BE ON THE AGENDA.

3. BRANDT EXPRESSED THE VIEW THAT THE ISRAELI LABOR PARTY WAS REGAINING CONFIDENCE AND THAT PERES WAS ATTEMPTING TO SPLIT THE BEGIN CABINET. AMONG OTHER MOVES HE HAS OFFERED TO MAINTAIN DAYAN AND WEISMANN IN THEIR CABINET POSTS OF THEY ABANDON THE CTNSERVATIVES TO THE ADVANTAGE OF THE LABOR PARTY.

4. DURING HIS VISIT TO COPENHAGEN BRANDT ALSO MET WITH PRIME MINISTER JORGENSEN TO INFORM HIM OF THE BRANDT-KREISKY MEETING WITH SADAT AND SHIMON PERES IN VIENNA PRIOR TO THE VISIT THIS WEEK OF THE SYRIAN FOREIGN MINISTER TO DENMARK.  
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